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The press of September 14, 1965, announces the appointment of Bertrand Rochereau de la SABLIERE as France's new Ambassador to Israel. He replaces M. Jean BOURDEILLETTE who reportedly intends to retire.

The new Ambassador was born on July 9, 1903, and joined the Diplomatic Service in 1930. He served in the Foreign Office (Information and Press), Brussels, Kaunas, Ankara, Athens, Jerusalem, and Beirut, was Ambassador of France to Paraguay (1957-59) and Colombia (since 1959).

For the Ambassador:

Richard Funkhouser
Counselor of Embassy

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